GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

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LOI HOLDERS OF SC/ST CATEGORY
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is aware that Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited (HPCL) is totally ignoring the pending letter of Intent (LOI) holders belonging to SC/ST category in the matter of installing their retail outlets on the sites allotted/being allotted to HPCL by Government agencies;

(b) if so, the number of sites have been offered by HUDA to HPCL for installation of petrol pump in Faridabad; and

(c) the time by which the HPCL would take over this site for pending LOI holders of Faridabad?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS (SHRI DINSHA PATEL)

(a): Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited (HPCL) has reported that there is no delay on the part of the Corporation in commissioning the Retail Outlets (ROs) allotted to SC/ST candidates after the availability of land is finalized and a No Objection Certificate (NOC) is received. The commissioning of the ROs allotted to SC/ST candidates gets delayed in the cases where land is not available or procurement of land is delayed.

(b) & (c): Haryana Urban Development Authority (HUDA) has allotted one site on lease to HPCL for setting up of an RO in Sector 9, Faridabad, However, the possession of the land shall be given by HUDA only after the receipt of NOC by HPCL from the District Magistrate (DM) Faridabad and the Corporation is in the process of obtaining the same.